



# FOOD FOR PEACE FACT SHEET

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## Food Security Situation

- Threats to food security include armed conflict, political instability, population displacement, poverty, banditry and difficult access to food and safe water.
- UNHCR estimates there are approximately 197,000 IDPs in CAR due, in large part to, recurrent violence between the government army, rebel groups and local self-defense groups.
- Since 2008, LRA attacks in both DRC and CAR have resulted in population displacement in the Prefectures of Mbomou and Haut-Mbomou of southeastern CAR, including the arrival of approximately 15,000 refugees.
- Escalation of violence between ethnic groups in DRC in late 2009 has resulted in an influx of some 17,000 refugees into Lobaye Prefecture in southwestern CAR.



CIA Factbook, February 5, 2010

## Total Food for Peace Contributions

Fiscal Year 2010 (to date)	\$6.0 million	3,830 MT
Fiscal Year 2009	\$5.4 million	3,430 MT
Fiscal Year 2008	\$10.1 million	7,490 MT
Fiscal Year 2007	\$14.1 million	14,860 MT
Fiscal Year 2006	\$565,000	650 MT

## Food for Peace Contribution Breakdown

Partners	FY10 (to date)		FY09	
	Emergency		Emergency	
	USD in millions	metric tons	USD in millions	metric tons
WFP*	\$6.0	3,830	\$5.4	3,430

## Food for Peace Program Details

<b>Awardee:</b>	World Food Program
<b>Targeted Beneficiaries:</b>	769,296 food-insecure people affected by conflict and displacement, including refugees, IDPs, returnees and host communities
<b>Projects:</b>	General food distribution; nutritional support for malnourished children and pregnant and lactating women; emergency school feeding; food-for-work; food for training
<b>Project Locations:</b>	Conflict affected areas of northern, southeastern and southwestern Central African Republic

\* FY: fiscal year; MT: metric tons; USD: United States Dollar; WFP: World Food Program; UNHCR: United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees; IDP: Internally Displaced Person; LRA: Lord's Resistance Army  
Food Security Situation information provided by WFP and UNHCR as of June 25, 2010